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ACTIVE INGREDIENT COMBINATIONS OF SURFACE-ACTIVE CITRIC ESTERS AND INCLUSION COMPOUNDS OF CYCLODEXTRINS AND RETINOIDS, AND COSMETIC AND DERMATOLOGICAL

PREPARATIONS CONTAINING SUCH MIXTURES

April 22, 2003

Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of 3 months to respond to the Office 1. Action dated October 22, 2002. 2. Applicant is a small entity; 3.

other than a small entity.

Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(a)(5)):

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	Total Months Requested one month two months three months four months five months* not be used to exceed for response to an Offi	Fee For Other Than Small Entity \$110.00 \$410.00 \$930.00 \$1,450.00 \$1,970.00	Fee for <u>Small Entity</u> \$55.00 \$205.00 \$465.00 \$725.00 \$985.00

limit for response to an Official Action.

Fee Enclosed \$930.00

Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for any additional extension and/or fee required or credit for any excess fee paid.

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